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10/830,172

APPLICANTS

Ralf SCHLIEPHACKE, et al.

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**ART UNIT** 

1734

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August 30, 2004

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### RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Sir:

This is in response to the Notification of Missing Parts Under 37 CFR 1.53(b) dated June 29, 2004, in the above-identified application.

Enclosed herewith for filing are the following:

A copy of the Notification of Missing Parts.

A Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, including residence information and identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date.

Application No.: 10/830,172

Applicant: Ralf SCHLIEPHACKE, et al. Response to Notification of Missing Parts

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Respectfully submitted

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- Copy of Notice of Missing Parts
- Transmittal Form
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	First Named Inventor	Ralf SCHLIEPHACKE, et al.					
	Group Art Unit	1734					
	Examiner Name	Not yet assigned					
	Attorney Docket Number	101769-254 (tesa AG 1635)					

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### **Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- A substitute specification in compliance with 37 CFR 1.52, 1.121(b)(3), and 1.125, is required. The specification, claims, or abstract page(s) submitted is not acceptable and cannot be scanned or properly stored because:
  - The specification contains drawings or flow diagrams (37 CFR 1.58(a)) on page(s) 37. Drawings or flow diagrams cannot be embedded in the specification and should be submitted separately in accordance with 37 CFR 1.84. (Both a substitute specification and substitute drawings are required).

### **SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity

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Applicant claims small entity status.	See 37 CFR 1.27	Examiner Name	Not yet assigned		
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1. BASIC FILING FEE	1253	950	2253	475	Extension for reply within third month	
Large Entity Small Entity	1254	1,480	2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month	
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1004 770 2004 385 Reissue filing fee	1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
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